GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Health Medical & Family Welfare Department- The Andhra Pradesh Medical Subordinate Service Rules - Certain Amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Medical Subordinate Service Rules Br.III - General in (G.O.Ms.No.565, M&H (R1), dated: 07.08.1979 - Notification- Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (G.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.73. **Dated.20.05.2024.**
Read the following

1. G.O.Ms.No.505, M&H (R1) Department, Dated.07.08.1979.
2. The Andhra Pradesh Medical Subordinate Service Rules Br.III-General (G.O.Ms.No.565, M&H (R.1), dated: 07.08.1979).
3. G.O.Ms.No.404, M&H (K2) Department, Dated.17.07.1985.
4. G.O.Ms.No.64, HM&FW (J.1) Department, Dated.04.03.2008.
5. From the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P, Vijayawada Lr.Rc.No.7530/E4.B/2023, Dated.11.01.2023, along with the representation dt.28.12.2021 of the President, A.P, progressive Ophthalmic officers Federation (AP-PROOF).

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In the G.O first read above, Government have framed the Service rules for various categories in A.P., Medical Subordinate Services, as Andhra Pradesh Medical Subordinate Service Rules, Branch III-General constituting Class 1 to XIX and informed that the Adhoc Rules were framed for temporary post of Ophthalmic Assistant.

2. In the G.O third read above, the post of Ophthalmic Assistant under National Programme for control of Blindness. Scheme shall constitute a distinct category in the A.P., Medical Subordinate Services-Br.III.

3. In the G.O. fourth read above, the post of Ophthalmic Assistant has been re-designated as Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer, Further the service rules were not included in A.P., Medical Sub-ordinate Services-Branch III General (G.O.Ms.No.565, M&H (R1), dated: 07.08.1979.

4. Therefore, in the reference fifth read above the Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P, Vijayawada has requested Government to issue necessary amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Medical Subordinate Service Rules Br.III-General (G.O.Ms.No.565, M&H(R1), dated: 07.08.1979 by incorporating the category of Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer (Formerly Ophthalmic Assistant).

5. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dated:___.05.2024.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Articles 309 of the Constitution of India, and of all other powers hereunto enabling the Governor of Andhra Pradesh, hereby makes the following amendments to the Special Rules issued in the Andhra Pradesh Medical Subordinate Service Rules Br.III- General in G.O.Ms.No.565, M&H (R1), dated: 07.08.1979 as amended from time to time.

(P.T.O)

AMENDMENTS

In the said rules,

1. In Rule 1, after Class XIX, the following shall be added, namely,-

"Class XX

(G.O.Ms.No.404, M&H(K.2) Department, Dated:17.07.1985)

Category :-

1. Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer"

2. In Rule 2, under the heading Appointment, in the table there under, in column no 1 and 2, after Class XIX, the following shall be added, namely,-

"Class XX

(G.O.Ms.No.404, M&H(K.2) Department, Dated:17.07.1985)

Category:-	Method of Recruitment
Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer	by direct recruitment"

3. In Rule 4, in the table there under, after Class XIX, the following shall be added, namely,-

"Class XX

(G.O.Ms.No.404, M&H(K.2) Department, Dated:17.07.1985)

Category:-	Age:-
Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer	No person be eligible for appointment by direct recruitment to the post if he has completed the age of (28) years on the first day of July of the year in which the selection is made."

4. In the Annexure-I (Referred to in Rule 3) in the table there under, after Class XIX in column no1 and 2 , the following shall be added, namely,-

"Class XX

(G.O.Ms.No.404, M&H(K 2) Department, Dated:17.07.1985)

Category:-	Appointing Authority
Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer	**Regional Director of Medical & Health Services** Zone-1- Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam Zone-2- East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna. Zone-3- Guntur, Nellore, Prakasam. Zone-4- Kurnool, Kadapa, Ananthapuramu, Chittoor

5. In the Annexure-II (Referred to in rule 5), in the table there under in column no 1 and 2, after Class XIX, the following shall be added, namely,-

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" **Class XX**

(G.O.Ms.No.404, M&H(K2) Department, Dated:17.07.1985)

Category:-	Education Qualification
Paramedical Ophthalmic Officer	No person shall be eligible for appointment temporary post of paramedical Ophthalmic Officer unless he passed the following qualification namely. 1. Must have passed the Intermediate examination with physical sciences and biological Sciences or with physical science and Mathematics or its equivalent examination conducted by the Board of Intermediate Examination, Government of Andhra Pradesh or of any other board or Institution recognized by any other State Government or the University Grants Commission, as the case may be and; 2. Must have passed a diploma of 2 year Training in Paramedical Ophthalmic Assistants Course recognized by the Government of Andhra Pradesh G.O.Ms.No.404 M&H (K2) Department, Dated: 17-07-1985."

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M T KRISHNA BABU
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery and stores purchase, A.P, Vijayawada (for publication of the Notification in an extra-ordinary issue of A.P. Gazetette dated:_____ and to furnish 100 copies to the Government)
The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P, Vijayawada
The Director of Health & Family Welfare, A.P, Mangalgiri.
The Director of Secondary Health, A.P, Tadipalli, Vijayawada.
The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, A.P, Vijayawada (take necessary action accordingly)
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.
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The P.S to Secretary to Hon'ble C.M.

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The O.S.D to Hon'ble Minister for (HFW&ME), A.P. Secretariat.
The P.S to Special Chief Secretary to Government, HM&FW Dept.,
Sri.R.Venkata Ramana, The President Andhra Pradesh Progressive Ophthalmic Officers Federation, Srikakulam District, A.P.
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